

Assembly Bill 458

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CHAPTER 222, LAWS OF 1967

AN ACT to renumber 140.27 (2) and (3); and to create 140.27 (2) of the statutes, relating to the hospital staff privileges of osteopathic physicians and surgeons.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 140.27 (2) and (3) of the statutes are renumbered 140.27 (3) and (4), respectively.

SECTION 2. 140.27 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

140.27 (2) Any person granted a license to practice medicine and surgery under s. 147.17 shall be afforded an equal opportunity to obtain hospital staff privileges. No such person shall be denied hospital staff privileges solely for the reason that he is an osteopathic physician and surgeon. Each individual hospital shall retain the right to determine whether the applicant's training, experience and demonstrated competence is sufficient to justify the granting of medical staff privileges.

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